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(Case No. 04-719)

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Filing Date: October 2, 1997 ) Examiner: Marjorie A. Moran  
For: Method and Apparatus for Concurrently )  
Detecting Pathogenic Organisms and )  
Antibacterial Susceptibility )

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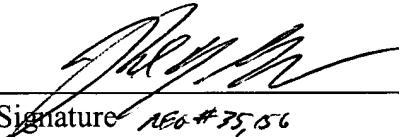
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